

DIASATER RESPONSE

CLEAN WATER BRANCH'S
RESPONSIBILITIES

Disaster Identification

- Hurricane
- Tsunami
- Power Failure
- Storm
- Etc







Warning

- Media (Press) release
- Web notice
- Warning Systems

Clean Water Branch Staff Preparation

- Warning procedures
- Staff communication system
- Equipment
- Vehicles
- Fuel

Disaster Incident

- Ensure public health and safety
- Governor's Proclamation exempting certain activities from 342D, HRS
- Beach monitoring identifying any contamination/hazards
- Stream flows that could cause hazards in coastal areas







Post Disaster

- Identify whether permits or other DOH authority required for clean up and recovery to restore to pre-disaster conditions
- Monitor beaches and streams for contamination/hazards
- Issue daily status reports and/or all clear for beaches and other coastal areas impacted by disaster









Pathway to the Haupū Parking Lot from the beach promenade







Luau Gardens



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